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From the Editor's Desk . . .

WELL DONE The news on the opposite page, although widely broadcast, will come as a surprise to large numbers of Ohio University alumni and friends. Little or no intimation of the move was given by the popular gridiron coach and athletic director prior to the announcement last month.

Don Peden retires from gridiron coaching at Ohio University with many of the laurels of his profession. He was the dean of football coaches in the state; his teams had won more games and more championships in the old Buckeye Conference—"toughest little league in the country"—than those of any other school; and he had had only one losing season in his 23 years at the helm of Bobcat grid activities.

One cannot say that he retired at the "peak" of his career for there is no indication that his shrewdness as a tactician and his skill in handling men have diminished in any respect. It is quite likely that had he chosen to continue coaching, presupposing gridiron material of reasonably high calibre, he would have won his share—and more—of the honors in the new Mid-American Conference.

Few coaches anywhere have had the wholehearted support of university administration, student body, and downtown fans that Don Peden has enjoyed at Ohio University, and while the salary has not been the highest paid in the country it has been by no means the lowest. He could have gone to larger schools at higher salaries, but it is believed he realized that not all of the worthwhile rewards for his work here were in the form of cash. Many a coach, we dare say, has looked at the situation at Ohio University and said to himself, "a coach's paradise."

On the other hand, the football followers of but few other schools have had as little to be dissatisfied with in their coach as the Green and White fans. Peden has given them victories to be "chesty" about, he has built up Ohio University's reputation for hard, clean football, and he has been a gentleman both on and off the playing field.

So, to Don C. Peden, on behalf of thousands of Ohio University alumni who have followed his teams with pride and pleasure, the editor offers congratulations upon a job well done.

GOOD LUCK As the new head coach of football, we bespeak for Harold E. Wise the same sort of loyal support and good wishes that were accorded Peden. He will need them, and we believe he will merit them.

No less a gentleman than his predecessor, the high standards of sportsmanship and of player-coach relationships that have long marked intercollegiate athletics at Ohio University will be maintained.

Never having headed a varsity staff before, Coach Wise cannot point to a record of achievement in collegiate competition. His record as a high school coach is excellent, however, and—after all—Paul Brown got his start in high school circles. Also, Wise's eight years of association with Don Peden and "Dutch" Trautwein as a coaching colleague cannot have been valueless.

But Harold is "on his own" now, and we predict that under his aggressive and energetic leadership football at Ohio University will be successful, and that—win, draw, or lose—it will continue to be an activity to which we can give full approval.

COVER As indicated on page 6, the persons pictured on the cover page are the presidents of three old and highly-respected educational institutions—Marietta College, Johns Hopkins University, and Ohio University. The occasion that brought the three educators together was the celebration of the founding of Marietta College in 1835.

Through the years the school located in the pioneer city at the forks of the Muskingum and Ohio rivers has produced a large number of distinguished alumni. It is to be congratulated upon the character of its product and upon its recent birthday.

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From inquiries received it is evident that some readers, due, possibly, to the fact that there was no reference in this accustomed spot, failed to discover the identities of the two men on the cover of the February *Alumnus*. They were Ohio University's Col. Ray E. Cavenee and Herbert E. Moore, an undergraduate. The story about them appeared on page 18.

Don Peden Resigns As Head Football Coach

FROM THEIR newspapers and radios Ohio University alumni learned on February 12 that Don C. Peden, dean of Ohio college football coaches, had resigned as chief Bobcat gridiron mentor, but would remain at the university as director of athletics and head coach of baseball. His resignation became effective March 1.

Head football coach at Ohio University since 1924 and director of athletics since 1937, Peden has been replaced as football coach by Harold E. Wise, assistant to Peden for eight years and, until recently, assistant athletic business manager and associate director of the Ohio University Fund, Inc. The new head coach graduated from Ohio University in 1928 with letters in football, basketball, and baseball. He resigned the assistant business managership of athletics and the associate directorship of the Fund on March 1, and is now directing spring football practice.

Assistant Football Coaches William J. "Dutch" Trautwein, Kermit Blosser, '32, Jim Snyder, '41, and Roy Pille will remain on the Bobcat coaching staff.

In accepting the resignation of Don Peden as coach, President Baker said he did it "reluctantly," paying tribute to the retiring mentor for "keeping athletic activities in the university on a high plane."

"He [Peden] has been a great credit to Ohio University and his leadership has meant those high standards of conduct in athletics that lead to the true development of the individual student," the president stated.

Peden, who coached Bobcat elevens to 121 victories with only 46 losses and nine ties, said he was turning



Head Coach of Football Harold E. Wise

over the coaching reins "because I can't find time to coach football and handle the heavy administrative duties as director of athletics due to our record-breaking enrollment of nearly 5800 students."

The Ohio man is the only mentor in the old Buckeye Conference to have won three successive titles, annexing the championship in 1929, 1930 and 1931. He is also credited with having won the pennant the most times, taking first place five times and tying for top honors once in the Buckeye loop's 13 years of existence. Ohio University is now a member of the new Mid-American Conference of which the Bobcat athletic director is secretary.

Highlights of Coach Peden's tutoring were wins over Navy, Illinois and Indiana. Only one of his teams ever had a losing season, that being in 1945, when football was being resumed after a two-year wartime lapse. He won six out of nine games during the 1946 season. The record of his baseball teams is only slightly less outstanding.

After using the "T" formation and double wing with success in the Buckeye Conference, he has used the single wing almost exclusively in recent years.

A native of Kewanee, Ill., Peden was graduated from the University of Illinois in 1923 where he gained All-Western Conference honors as a halfback on the Illini under Bob Zuppke in 1921. He joined Ohio University's athletic staff in 1923 as assistant football and head baseball coach after a year of professional baseball as an outfielder with Syracuse in the International League.

Harold Wise came to Ohio University in 1938 as assistant football, basketball, and baseball coach after a highly successful high school coaching career that started at Ashtabula Harbor High School in 1923. From 1924 to 1929 he coached at Athens High School, and from 1929 until 1938 he was athletic director and coach at West High School in Columbus.

In Columbus his football teams won the city high school championship in 1933, 1936, and 1937. In 1935, and again in 1937, his basketball quintet was the city

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Director of Athletics Don C. Peden

Former F.B.I. Man Marries Young Lady Met in Finland

After a well-earned vacation, which he is currently enjoying with his wife in Florida, Eugene F. Rinta, '38, Fairport Harbor, late of the F.B.I., expects to accept one of a number of opportunities in private business that have been offered him.

"Gene" resigned his position with the Federal Bureau of Investigation last November after eight years of thrilling and important work, and on



Mr. and Mrs. Eugene F. Rinta

December 18 married an attractive young lady (see picture) who flew from her native Finland to wed the Ohioan in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Upon graduating from Ohio University in 1938 Rinta entered the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration on a fellowship, but late in the same year received an appointment with the famed government agency.

He served in Atlanta, Ga., New York City, and Washington, D. C. From November, 1942, to March, 1944, he was "on loan" from the F.B.I. to the U. S. State Department. During this period he made several visits to Brazil and several to Africa. Subsequently he spent five weeks in London, eight months attached to the American Legation at Stockholm, and four months at the legation in Helsinki, Finland.

The nature of his assignments were of course confidential, but it can be assumed that the details would make

highly interesting reading if they could be told.

During 1945 and 1946 Gene spent several months in Honolulu on special assignment in connection with certain Navy inquiries. His last three months with the F.B.I. were in an administrative capacity in Washington, D. C.

It was while in Finland in 1943 that the "G-man" met Miss Saga Lindberg of Helsinki, who was a foreign correspondent for a large corporation. The pleasures of conversation brought them together and they soon became engaged. The young woman speaks English fluently, while her American visitor enjoyed chats with Miss Lindberg in the Finnish language which he had learned from his Finnish-born parents. They were married in the parsonage of the Finnish Evangelical Lutheran Church in Brooklyn by a former pastor of the Rinta family in Fairport Harbor.

The bride attended a school in Helsinki and later pursued graduate work in languages at the University of Helsinki. She also holds a diploma from a Finnish commercial college.

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Song Writers, Attention!

The February *Alumnus* carried an announcement of a \$100 prize offered by Arthur C. Johnson, '95x, Columbus, Ohio University trustee, for a "Founders' Song appropriate for Founders' Day and suitable for general use." It was indicated that the song contest was open to undergraduates only.

Since this announcement was made, however, the committee in charge of the contest has opened the competition to graduates and former students, and has extended the time limit for the submission of manuscripts (words and music) to July 1, 1947.

It is Mr. Johnson's hope that the new song will be lively and spirited, and not "a hymn or a dirge."

The winning song becomes the property of Ohio University, including the privilege of copyright. Each manuscript must have a *nom de plume* in the upper right-hand corner. Attached to the manuscript should be a sealed envelope containing the real name and address of the composer. The *nom de plume* should be written on the outside of this envelope.

Manuscripts are to be mailed first-class and addressed to The Director, School of Music, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio.

Cleveland Veteran Secretary Of Possibilities Unlimited

Carl F. Williams (formerly Oelze), '41, is executive secretary of a unique Cleveland organization, Possibilities Unlimited, Inc., which is attracting nation-wide attention on the part of physically handicapped war veterans and those interested in their problems.

Headquarters of the organization—lounge, clinic, and administrative offices—are in Loew's State Building, 1515 Euclid Avenue.

Possibilities Unlimited is incorpor-



Carl F. Williams

ated under the laws of the State of Ohio as a non-profit corporation. It was organized by civilian amputees—persons who had, themselves, lost limbs—to try to help those who came back from World War II in a legless or armless condition. The only qualification for membership is that the man must have a physical handicap that he has overcome or wants to overcome.

Each time a veteran signs up, Possibilities Unlimited tries to find his exact opposite number—some civilian who once suffered the identical handicap and who, by relating his experiences and demonstrating his improved situation, is able to encourage and inspire a veteran who may be having difficulty in overcoming his physical and psychological problems.

The organization also carries on an extensive program of research to bring about improvements in artificial limbs and appliances, has developed a

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On and About the Campus . . .

OF INTEREST to many persons recently was the illustrated lecture on "The Restoration of Williamsburg, Virginia" by Charles F. Cellarius (see picture), visiting lecturer in architecture at Ohio University. Regarded as one of the Middle West's leading architects, Mr. Cellarius has completed plans for Ohio University's new Engineering-Science Building to be located on President Street near the South Bridge. This proposed three-story brick building, estimated to cost \$200,000, has been designed to receive a major addition when further funds are appropriated. A practicing architect in Cincinnati since 1921, Mr. Cellarius has drawn plans for buildings for a number of colleges and universities. He is a fellow and treasurer of the American Institute of Architects, and a past president of the Architects' Society of Ohio. He has earned degrees from Yale University and Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

THE SUM of \$529,447 has been made available by the state for the construction of the proposed new dormitory for men at Ohio University. The dormitory will be a four-story brick building of colonial architecture, and will be located on University Terrace just north of the "Ag" Building and opposite Alumni Memorial Auditorium. It will have 102 rooms with a normal capacity of 185 students. The new building will be similar in exterior appearance to the Auditorium and the Edwin Watts Chubb Library. It will be surmounted by a tower, while one of its internal features will be an elevator. It was designed by Harold Field Kellogg, Boston architect. Construction of the building will get under way this summer and it is hoped that it will be available for use in September, 1948. Completion of the new \$500,000 Chemistry Building is expected in June.

ANNOUNCEMENT has been made of the appointment, for the coming year, of departmental chairmen in the colleges of Arts and Sciences, Commerce, and Applied Science. No chairmen were appointed in the College of Fine Arts as each of the three schools comprising

the college is under the supervision of a director. By vote of the faculty of the College of Education Dean Evan R. Collins was chosen chairman in his college.

The 16 chairmen in Arts and Sciences are: Botany, A. H. Bickle; chemistry, D. R. Clippinger; classical languages, V. D. Hill; English, J. B. Heidler; geography and geology, C. E. Cooper; German, J. A. Hess; government, E. B. Smith; history, A. T. Volwiler; mathematics and astronomy, R. H. Marquis; personal relations, Irma E. Voigt; philosophy, H. T. Houf; physics, O. E. McClure; psychology, A. C. Anderson; romance

mechanical engineering, L. F. Lausche (acting).

SEVENTY-TWO Ohio University student-veterans have received a total of \$4,582 from the Athens County Red Cross chapter during the past year to help them along pending the arrival of overdue government checks, according to Ellen Biddle, '39, executive secretary of the local chapter. Although no interest is charged and repayment is voluntary, Miss Biddle reports that to date the veterans have returned \$3,334.50, and that only two have not repaid in full or made arrangements for doing so.



Charles F. Cellarius

languages, B. A. Renkenberger; sociology, E. A. Taylor; and zoology, F. H. Kreeker.

The eight department heads in Commerce are: Accounting, E. E. Ray; advertising, K. H. Krauskopf; business law, G. O. Dykstra; economics, E. T. Hellebrandt; finance, C. O. Hanson; marketing, R. H. Paynter; secretarial studies, Doris Sponseller; and statistics, W. W. Haynes (acting).

The seven chairmen appointed in Applied Science are: Agriculture, W. W. Wiggin; aviation, E. F. Wilsey; civil engineering, E. H. Gaylord; engineering drawing, N. D. Thomas; electrical engineering, D. B. Green; industrial arts, C. R. Kinison; and

MUSICAL TREATS available to Ohio University students during the past month have been appearances in Alumni Memorial Auditorium of Nadine Conner, lyric soprano of the Metropolitan Opera; the National Symphony Orchestra of Washington, D. C., conducted by Dr. Hans Kindler; "No, No, Nanette," presented by an all-student cast and sponsored by the Ohio University Fine Arts Council; a convocation program by Marjorie McClure, '45, piano instructor at the Laurel School for Girls in Shaker Heights; and a concert by the Ohio University Symphony Orchestra under the baton of Prof. DeForest W. Ingerham. Maxwell Anderson's "Mary of Scotland," produced by the University Theatre and directed by Christopher Lane, was a highly successful offering in the field of dramatics. For a further reference to Miss McClure, see the Class of 1945 notes on page 16.

ON FEBRUARY 21 Phyllis "Ter ry" Jenkins, Toledo, sophomore, won for Ohio University its 10th state declamation championship as a participant in the annual Inter-collegiate Speech Conference held in Alumni Memorial Auditorium. Betty Newland, Lima, sophomore, and Elaine Goldring, Cleveland Heights, freshman, each took fourth place, respectively, in the extemporaneous speaking and the interpretation divisions of the annual competition. Miss Jenkins, the only winner of the day to receive a unanimous decision of the judges, is now entitled to enter the National Oratory Contest to be held at Northwestern University.

Bellefontaine Woman Adds Flying to Her Other Skills

With a reproduction of the accompanying picture, there appeared in the *Cleveland Plain Dealer* on January 5 an interesting story relative to an Ohio University graduate, Mrs. Edward K. Core (Dorothy Webster, '31), Bellefontaine, who apparently is as active now as she was during her busy campus days. Besides keeping up her interests in a social group and numerous other campus organi-



Mrs. Edward K. Core

zations, Mrs. Core found time to qualify for membership in Kappa Delta Pi and Phi Beta Kappa, top-ranking scholastic societies.

Following is the newspaper story: "Being the manager of a farm home, a mother of four, vocalist, a part-time school teacher, an active church worker and treasurer of her husband's landing field business did not prevent Mrs. Dorothy Core from tackling flying.

"Now she has had 10 hours of dual instruction and nearly 10 of the required thirty hours of solo flying required to be eligible to take the test for a private license. Her solo flying has been done on the farm where her husband, Logan County Engineer Edward K. Core, operates a flying field.

"Mrs. Core, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Webster, is the third member of that family to fly. Her brother, Dr. F. Blair Webster, who was in a navy air unit, holds a private flying license, and her brother,

Charles, has a student license.

"She is active in music clubs in Bellefontaine and nearby Rushsylvania, sings in the Bellefontaine Presbyterian Church choir, teaches Sunday School, teaches school a half day five days each week at neighboring Huntsville, and maintains active membership in the King's Daughters, a literary club, the Rushsylvania P.T.A., and the Rushsylvania Booster Club.

"Eddie, Ellen, Nancy and Bobby Core were proud of their mother's initial solo flight. She had not known that they and their father were watching her first three-point landing."

Don Peden Resigns As Head Football Coach

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champ, and in 1931 he coached the baseball team to the city title.

For eight years he was manager of the Southeastern Ohio district high school basketball tournament held annually in Ohio University's gymnasium. He has attended Columbia University and holds a master's degree from Ohio State University. Prior to the death of the famed gridiron master, he attended Knute Rockne's schools for coaches at Notre Dame.

While attending high school in Athens, his home town, Coach Wise was captain and forward on the 1920-1921 cage team that represented the state of Ohio in the national high school tourney in Chicago.

The effective work done by Mr. Wise in organizing the Ohio University Fund, Inc., was revealed in the first annual report of the Fund published in the February *Alumnus*.

Both coaches have been active in civic affairs in Athens. Peden is currently serving as president of the Rotary Club; Wise was president of the Kiwanis Club in 1945. While in Columbus the latter headed the Franklin County chapter of the Ohio University Alumni Association.

Former JBY Man Marries

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Besides her native tongue and English, she writes and speaks, with fluency, Swedish, German, and French.

In addition to winning Phi Beta Kappa honors in the classroom at Ohio University, the groom established a record as one of the all-time "greats" on the basketball court.

Marietta College Confers Honorary Degree On Baker

President John C. Baker of Ohio University was one of the two principal speakers at the 27th Founders' Day program celebrating the 112th anniversary of Marietta College on February 14.

Ohio's president shared honors with President Isaiah Bowman of Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md. Both speakers were awarded honorary degrees; President Baker, the degree of Doctor of Laws (LL.D.), and President Bowman, Doctor of Literature (Lit.D.). The degrees were conferred by Marietta's president, Dr. William A. Shimer, who was for a number of years secretary of the United Chapters of Phi Beta Kappa and editor of *The American Scholar*.

Dr. Baker's citation by President Shimer was as follows:

"John Cathoun Baker, able guide of our honored sister university, guide also to America's great realm of business in its march up the trail to the dignity of a profession with social concern, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Faculty and the Trustees of Marietta College under charter of the State of Ohio, I confer upon you the degree of Doctor of Laws with all the rights and privileges appertaining thereto, and welcome you as an alumnus of our college."

The three presidents are pictured on the cover page of this issue of *The Alumnus*: They are, left to right, Dr. Shimer, Dr. Bowman, and Dr. Baker.

Cleveland Veteran Secretary

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recreational program, and operates a vocational placement service the facilities of which are offered free of charge to all amputees of Greater Cleveland.

The activities of Possibilities Unlimited are supported by public contributions. The Ohio University unit of Blue Star Mothers, of which Mrs. DeVere Clark, Cleveland, is president, is a loyal backer of this worthy organization.

Executive Secretary Williams, who is also attending the John Marshall Law School, entered the army just three months after graduating from Ohio University in 1941. His wife is the former Jeanne E. Thomas, '42.

Lecturer Way Interprets Modern Art

By RALPH STONE SMITH
Ohio University Publicity Director

CONTEMPORARY ART is meant to pioneer in new ways of expression, says Miss Edna M. Way, professor of space arts at Ohio University.

Speaking February 19 on "Some Phases of Contemporary Art" in the third address of the 1946-47 Faculty Lecture Series, she said this type of art should open new horizons. Faculty, students, and townspeople attended the lecture in the Edwin Watts Chubb Library.

"A contemporary artist should be as truly a pioneer in the use of lines, shapes, and colors as an explorer in search of new polar regions or a scientist in a study of atoms and molecules," she declared.

Miss Way, whose paintings have appeared in 11 "one-man shows" in the past ten years and who has won many prizes for her work, said contemporary art is a different way of seeing and cannot be judged as good or bad by standards of photographic representation.

Explaining that contemporary works have led to new approaches to art, Miss Way said they emphasize the relation to environment and set the object in motion.

"Plastic elements of the pictures come into view. Basic laws of the canvas are isolated—the object is dissected and reassembled. The mind is studied and new realities are symbolized."

Illustrating her remarks with paintings of ten leading artists, Miss Way admitted that some of them may appear like "odd-looking things staring you in the face."

The reason, she pointed out, is that "you haven't learned to understand them. Some paintings are not easily understood but if you do learn to appreciate them, they may help you to understand forces and ideas in our contemporary world. The art of painting is like a language which you have to learn to read, just as you learn French, German, or Spanish. Some pictures are easy to read—like a primer. Some are like mathematics; some like poetry."

The Ohio University professor then cited the fundamental qualities to be appreciated if contemporary art is

Because most people enjoy representative art and know more about it, Miss Way said she had chosen to discuss those phases of contemporary art which have broken away from realism in the photographic sense.

One of the easiest phases of contemporary art to understand, Miss Way said, is non-objective painting.

This type of picture contains no intellectual subject nor any similarity to any known object, as colors, forms, and themes are combined by measurement of line and interval to create a unit of rhythm and beauty, she



Professor of Space Arts Edna M. Way

Regarded by Director of the School of Painting L. C. Mitchell as "a very outstanding artist in the field of water colors," Miss Way has exhibited at Philadelphia, Washington, D. C., Pittsburgh, New York, Youngstown, Columbus, and Manchester, Vt. She has studied, sketched, and painted in the U. S., Hawaii, Mexico, Spain, and France.

Honors won include the 1944 Barstow Prize for Water Color at the National Association of Women Artists, and honorable mention in 1945 in the Washington Water Color Club. In the Columbus Art League show she received the Wolfe Award in 1943 and 1946 for water color and second prize in oils in 1945. She took first place in the Ohio Water Color Society exhibit in 1946.

Miss Way holds a Bachelor of Science and Master of Arts degrees from Columbia University. She joined the Ohio University faculty in 1926.

to be understood. They include lines, shapes, darks and lights, and color.

The idea in any picture is dependent upon the creative thinking of the artist, she explained. It is his creation representing his own time and will live as long as the ideas he presents are believed and understood.

asserted. They do not represent anything. They are like music—and are often named Allegro, Fugue, and Counter Fugue.

Cubism was termed another form of painting which breaks away from photographic reality.

"Cubists use the idea of straight lines and circles—they simplify the forms seen in real life and study pure color and its emotional effect.

"They develop the composition of space suggestion through shading of areas from dark to light and study textures and their combinations."

Another form of contemporary art described was surrealism. Miss Way explained that the doctrine of this group of painters holds that the realm of the mind or the subconscious is as real as the normal world.

In surrealism, she stated, artists use the psychological ideas of chance, double imagery, dream symbolism, fantasy, hallucination, and metaphysical experience.

Eating Habits of Br'er Fox Studied

WHAT DOES Br'er Fox eat? Rabbits? Yes, when he can get 'em. But the cottontail is a scarce item these days. So the wily fox has to sit down to a meal something like this: grasshoppers for an appetizer, 'possum or mouse meat for an entree, and a salad made of grass, persimmons and pokeberries.

Then he tops it off with a dessert of choice beetles.

But Br'er Fox is not too happy about the whole thing, particularly the lack of rabbits—his favorite food—and as a result, he is fast decreasing in numbers in southeastern Ohio.

So says Dr. Herschel T. Gier, associate professor of zoology at Ohio University who is completing a six-year survey on the eating habits, reproductive rate, and distribution of foxes in the area.

"In spite of the fact," states Dr. Gier, "that almost everyone knows something about foxes, and some people know much about them, there are many of the elementary principles of fox biology and psychology of which everyone is yet quite ignorant and which require much more study."

The work now underway in the O. U. zoology laboratories is aimed at determining the relationships of foxes to other kinds of game animals, especially in Southeastern Ohio.

Explaining that insects and grass lack proper food value, Dr. Gier said foxes have taken to raiding the farmer's henhouse to get enough meat to eat. Chickens, ducks, and turkeys have been their chief prey, he declared.

"A total of \$95,000 was paid in 1946 for bounties on 28,000 Ohio foxes, but the 'fox belt' of southeastern Ohio still remained until a shortage of rabbits developed," Dr. Gier asserted.

Although no bounty is now paid in Athens County and fur prices are only 20 percent of what they were five years ago, the county continues to yield about 700 gray foxes and 500 red foxes to trappers each year.

When food was plentiful, the average fox litter was six, but now it has dropped to four and a half according to the Ohio University zoologist.

"Our studies have shown that foxes these days don't have nearly as much stored fat in their bodies as compared with a year ago. Thus, they can't reproduce as large litters as formerly."

The survey also indicates that the gray fox eats more berries, fruits, and insects than his red cousin.

"But," says Dr. Gier, "maybe he is just lazier."

Assisted by Larry Gale of Marietta, graduate student in wildlife management, Dr. Gier has supervised inspection and measurement of the contents of the stomachs of 600 foxes. Additional information was gained by studying the fox field droppings. All of the animals involved in the study were caught in steel traps and bought from the trappers and farmers.

It was found that fruits, in season, are eaten in great quantities by both gray and red foxes. Mice made up 10 to 20 percent of the winter food, and insects a like proportion of summer food. Small birds comprise about 10 percent of the daily food throughout the year. Chickens, during the winter, are found regularly in about eight percent of the stomachs. Quail and grouse are so

scarce that the meager evidence found is not enough to indicate more than that they are not especially hunted out.

The reproductive cycle study revealed that the males of both red and gray foxes are ready for breeding from early January to late February. Most of the red females were carrying young by the end of January, and most of the gray females by mid-February.

The survey showed that when small animals and insects are used as food, the fox eats a large number of them. For example, in the stomach of one red fox there were found 107 katydids, a shrew, a pine mouse, a white-throated sparrow and a small box turtle.

Analysis of many fox stomachs showed a great variety of food was eaten occasionally. The list included nearly all fruits and animals available. Persimmons were a staple in season. Grasses occurred in over 70 percent of the cases studied.

Dr. Gier came to Ohio University in 1937 as an instructor in zoology. He was promoted to assistant professor in 1942 and to associate professor at the start of the first semester last fall.

A native of Hepler, Kans., he earned an A.B. degree from Kansas State Teachers College, Pittsburg, and a Ph.D. degree from the University of Indiana.

The zoology professor held a National Research Council fellowship in cytology at Harvard University in 1936-37. Previously he had served as an undergraduate assistant in bacteriology at Kansas State Teachers, and as a graduate assistant in zoology at Indiana University.

He is a member of the Wildlife Society, American Ornithological Union, Isaac Walton League, and Sigma Xi, honorary scientific society.

Gale, whose home is near Marietta, is an Ohio University graduate now working on his master's degree. He formerly attended the University of Cincinnati and Marietta College.



Dr. H. T. Gier Examines Fox Stomach to Determine Menu

The Bobcat Sports Review

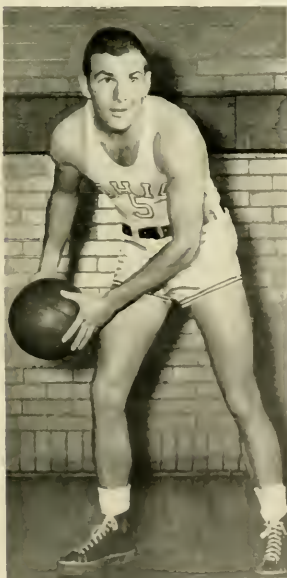
By Ralph Stone Smith

SPARKED BY the flashy play of Dick Shrider, Ohio University's eagres climaxed their 1946-47 season with an upset victory over the strong Butler University quintet to take second place in the Mid-American Conference.

The Bobcats, playing their best ball in the tough 23-game schedule, trounced the Bulldogs from Indianapolis 62-53 March 3 in the Men's Gym. The surprise win gave the Green and White its fifth triumph against three losses in the new loop and a season's record of 13 victories and 10 defeats.

Despite the loss, which was its first in the conference, Butler tied with the University of Cincinnati for top honors, each team having won six while losing a pair. Western Reserve University took third place and Wayne University ended up in the cellar.

Shrider, two-time All-Ohio inter-scholastic selection while at Glenford, meshed 20 points in the Butler tilt for scoring honors of the evening.



Forward Kenny Walters

Just the previous weekend he had led the successful attack on Western Reserve, also making 20 points. The Bobcats eked out a 54-52 win over the Clevelanders.

In addition to playing a fine offensive game, Shrider was a power on the defense. Early in the season he was used at guard. In the stretch, Shrider, a junior, generally opened at forward. His total for the season was 262 points, trailing high-scorer Kenny Walters of New Lexington by only five markers.

Considerable credit for the final win went to Gene Kinsley of Hartsville who started his first game of the year. Teaming with Walters at forward, he was all over the floor and found time to sink five baskets and two foul shots.

MID-AMERICAN CONFERENCE

(Final Basketball Standings)

Team	W	L	Pct.	TP	OP
Butler	6	2	.750	521	434
Cincinnati	6	2	.750	484	403
Ohio U.	5	3	.625	453	416
W. Reserve	2	6	.205	417	461
Wayne	1	7	.125	311	462

Walters, a senior playing in Bobcat gear for the last time, had an in and out season but managed to take scoring honors for the second straight year. Last season he garnered 258 points in 20 games. This year he did not have quite as good a record, making 267 points in 23 encounters for an 11-point average.

The only other Ohio U. basketballer to be lost by graduation will be Bob Brandle of Chillicothe, first-string guard. Always dependable and a smart ball handler, Brandle took part in 21 games and caged 58 points.

Lanky Bob Dickey of Lancaster, tallest regular at 6-3½, who held down the pivot spot in good fashion, racked up 222 tallies in 20 games for third honors. He used his height to good advantage, particularly around the backboard. Due to an injured knee, Dickey did not play in the Western Reserve or Butler frays.



Forward (Guard) Dick Shrider

An able replacement was Mark Wylie of Gibsonville, letterman of the 1944-45 season who returned to school the second semester. Although not having enough practice to regain his form of the earlier year when he made 200 points, he did a nice job and was one of the five "iron men" used against Butler. The other four who went the route were Shrider, Walters, Kinsley, and Harry Gordon of Cleveland.

Gordon, regular guard and the scrappiest man on the squad, gave lots of drive to the Bobcat club and could be depended upon in the clutch. He was credited with 134 counters.

A newcomer to the squad who showed much promise was Bob Johnson of Athens, a sophomore. He tallied 85 points in 15 games, becoming a regular starter at forward at mid-season. However, he was relegated to the sidelines after the Bowling Green game, suffering a fractured wrist. He will be back on the squad next year.

In winning 13 out of 23 starts, Ohio ran up 1297 points for a 56 per game average. Opponents scored 1158. Highest scoring game was the 105-25 shellacking given Marietta College. The Bobcats won a pair each

1946-1947 BASKETBALL RECORD

Ohio U.	Opponent	Opp.
66	Wayne	39
105	Marietta	25
46	Western Reserve	50
64	Dayton	29
54	Akron	69
36	Kentucky	46
47	Xavier	30
52	Wayne	36
57	Morris Harvey	46
36	Cincinnati	41
45	Miami	52
57	Ohio Wesleyan	64
47	Bowling Green	65
70	Butler	80
63	Louisville	52
67	Cincinnati	65
51	Marietta	37
47	Miami	60
47	Xavier	46
69	Dayton	59
55	Ohio Wesleyan	62
54	Western Reserve	52
62	Butler	53
1297	TOTALS	1158

ALL GAMES: Won 13, Lost 10.

CONFERENCE GAMES: Won 5, Lost 3.

from Marietta, Wayne, the University of Dayton and Xavier University. Only teams to take the Green and White into camp twice were Miami and Ohio Wesleyan universities.

Coach W. J. (Dutch) Trautwein and Assistant Mentor Jim Snyder paid high tribute to the team at the annual basketball banquet. After falling into a slump in January that included straight losses to Cincinnati, Miami, Ohio Wesleyan, Bowling Green and Butler universities, the Bobcats came back to finish strong.

A 63-52 victory over the University of Louisville, played at Chillicothe before an Ohio University Branch audience, broke the disastrous streak and the Green and White went on to win seven of its remaining nine games.

Ironically enough, the Bobcats displayed their wares to best advantage against the University of Kentucky—the nation's No. 1 team—and Butler, the two finest clubs to face them. Ohio lost by only 46-36 to the snarling Kentucky Wildcats. Midway in the season they went down to defeat at the hands of Butler's Bulldogs by a score of 80 to 70. However, that loss was completely forgotten when the Bobcats, displaying real team spirit and fight, rang down the curtain

with their surprising 62-53 win in the return game at Athens.

1947 Football Schedule

OHIO UNIVERSITY has scheduled nine football games for next fall, including three with Mid-American Conference foes, Director of Athletics Don C. Peden has announced.

Loop opponents are Butler, Western Reserve, and Cincinnati. Wayne, the other conference member, will not be met due to previous commitments.

Gridiron foes outside the conference include Ohio Wesleyan, Miami, Dayton, Bowling Green, Xavier, and Ohio Northern.

Five of the nine frays will be played in Athens, opening with Ohio Northern Sept. 27. The Ada eleven has not been played since 1928 when the Bobcats won by 39-0.

Although not definitely decided upon, the Cincinnati fray Nov. 1 is likely to be the Homecoming game.

Ohio won six games in nine starts the past season and scored 206 points to 97. Victories were racked up over Murray (Ky.) State, Western Michigan, Muskingum, Ohio Wesleyan, Baldwin-Wallace and Xavier. The Green and White lost to Cincinnati, Miami, and Dayton.

Under the direction of Coach Harold E. Wise spring football practice was set to open March 10. Wise, recently named as head mentor, succeeds Peden who had held the coaching reins since 1924.



Center Bob Dickey

The Schedule: Sept. 27, Ohio Northern at Athens; Oct. 4, Butler at Athens; Oct. 11, Western Reserve at Cleveland; Oct. 18, Bowling Green at Bowling Green; Oct. 25, Miami at Oxford; Nov. 1, Cincinnati at Athens; Nov. 8, Ohio Wesleyan at Athens; Nov. 15, Dayton at Dayton; and Nov. 22, Xavier at Athens.

1946-1947 INDIVIDUAL SCORING RECORD

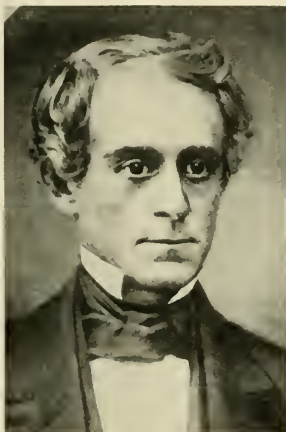
Player—Position	CONFERENCE GAMES				ALL GAMES			
	GP	FG	FT	CTP	GP	FG	FT	GTP
Walters, F	8	44	25	113	23	95	77	267
Shrider, F-G	8	37	22	96	23	98	66	262
Dickey, C	6	30	20	80	20	91	40	222
Gordon, G	8	17	12	46	23	50	34	134
Johnson, F	4	9	5	23	13	35	15	85
Gregg, G	4	5	4	14	13	27	11	65
Wyliz, C-G	3	8	3	19	9	23	14	60
Brandie, G	7	8	2	18	21	24	10	58
Kincl-y, F	4	7	5	19	9	15	12	42
Gyurko, F-G	7	6	7	19	18	14	11	39
Sayre, F	3	1	1	3	10	8	4	20
Hasselbach, F	1	0	0	0	4	6	7	19
Risser, G	1	1	0	2	2	6	0	12
Lamb, G	3	0	0	0	9	3	1	7
Pollock, G	1	0	1	1	4	1	2	4
O'Brien, C	2	0	0	0	9	0	1	1
TOTALS		173	107	453		496	305	1297

SYMBOLS: GP—Games Played; FG—Field Goals; FT—Free Throws; CTP—Conference Total Points; GTP—Grand Total Points.

Here and There Among the Alumni

1829

CHARLES CLEVELAND CONVERS (see picture) graduated from Ohio University in 1829. He was the son of Daniel Convers, an early emigrant from Norwich, Conn., who, in 1798, carried the first U. S. mail between Marietta and Zanesville. The grandfather of the Ohio University man was a member of the Ohio Company of Associates, who settled in Marietta and opened up the Northwest Territory. On leaving Athens he studied law in the office of General Charles B. Goddard in Zanesville and then entered the Harvard Law School. At Cambridge he enjoyed the personal friendship of Charles Sumner, later a U. S. senator and champion of equal rights before the law.



Charles C. Convers
(See Class of 1829 Notes)

Convers served two terms in the Ohio State Senate, being presiding officer of that body during the last session, and was elected to the Common Pleas Court bench in Zanesville in 1854. The next year he was elected judge of the State Supreme Court. He died in Zanesville in 1860.

1844

It is perhaps not generally known by Ohio University alumni that the uncle of the late President Woodrow Wilson is a graduate of their alma mater. ROBERT WOODROW, however, a brother of President Wilson's mother, received the university's Bachelor of Arts Degree as one of the five members of the Class of 1844. Robert Woodrow was born in Carlyle, England, in 1820, the eldest child of Thomas and Marian Williamson Woodrow. He came to America with his parents in 1831, settling first at Brockville, Canada. From there he moved with his parents to Chillicothe, Ohio, where his

In order that present-day Ohioans may know something of the lives and activities of those who preceded them to the campus, references will be made each month to one or more outstanding graduates who have long since passed from the earthly scene.—Editor.

father was for 14 years pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. After graduation from the university Robert Woodrow was for a number of years paymaster for the M & C Railroad in Memphis, Tenn. He also lived in Washington, D. C., from 1850 to 1855. He never married and died at Chillicothe, in 1856.

1877

Mrs. Olive Pruden Blakeley died at her home in Washington C. H. on Nov. 22, 1946. She was the widow of DR. G. W. BLAKELEY, ex, who was a student at Ohio University during the 1870's, and was a niece of Dr. Solomon Howard, sixth president of Ohio University (1852-1872) for whom Howard Hall was named. Mrs. Blakeley was born and reared in Athens County, but had been a resident of Washington Court House for the past 55 years.

1897

JOHN L. MILLER, Rio Grande, who took up farming in Gallia County in 1902 after a period of teaching, retired from active agricultural pursuits about 1940.

1898

REV. FRANK J. BATTERSON is minister of a Methodist church in Bluffton. For many years—between 1908 and 1922—he was a missionary in Argentina and Uruguay, South America. He was also, more recently, professor of Spanish at Defiance College. He is the father of Mrs. George Mozer (MARGARET BATTERSON, '33, 2-yr.), Ft. Wayne, Ind., and of VICTOR R. BATTERSON, '35, Hebron.

1899

MRS. DOLLIE HOOPER BEAN, widow of DR. L. G. BEAN, '99, Ph.M. '03, an Athens dentist who died in 1931, is teaching Latin in the Mechanicsburg (Athens) School.

1900

CHARLES M. MATHENY, retired Nebraska farmer and stock raiser, is now with a brother, WILLIAM M. MATHENY, '02, 2-yr., in St. Cloud, Fla. The latter, now ill, was for many years an engineer with the General Electric Co. in St. Louis, Mo., and with the Columbus Railway, Power & Light Co. in Ohio's capital city.

1901

MARGARET G. BLACK is a resident of Pueblo, Colo., where she was at one time an official of the Proven Oil Fields Company.

1903

Not heard from directly since 1942, the

Alumni Office is wondering as to the present whereabouts and activities of A. M. HAMILTON. At last account he was professor of law in the Washburn College Law School, Topeka, Kans. He earned an A. M. degree at Kansas State University, Lawrence, in 1907, and attended Washburn Law School, 1910-1912. For many years he was an attorney in Topeka for the Union Pacific Railroad.

In each succeeding issue of The Ohio Alumnus an effort will be made to present the picture of an officer or active worker in one of Ohio University's organized alumni groups. Presidents and secretaries, by virtue of their important offices, will receive first calls.

To start the series the editor presents Heber McFarland, '10, 2-yr., president of the Cleveland Bobcat Club, an organization of Cuyahoga County men.

For a number of years after receiving his diploma in electrical engineering, Mr. McFarland was associated, as a sales engineer



Heber McFarland

in Cleveland, with the National Carbon Co. For approximately 25 years, however, he has been treasurer and director of the Martindale Electric Co., manufacturers of electrical equipment. A resident of Lakewood, he is a past president of the Westwood Country Club, a trustee of Fairview Hospital, and a director of the Forbes Varnish Co.

Inasmuch as the picture of Robert L. Hartford, '36, Bobcat Club secretary, appeared in the December, 1945, issue of The Alumnus, a picture (see page 13) of his interesting and lively family is published as what the father states is a satisfactory substitute. The children, left to right, and their ages: Barbara, 5½; David Cameron, 6 months; and Robert, Jr., 3½.

1904

How about the smokes, Dr. Coultrap? DR. FLOYD E. COULTRAP, a Toledo physician, has become a grandfather twice in recent months. Little Suzette Marie Bryant was born to one of his daughters on October 15, while Marcia Beth Warren arrived at the home of another daughter on December 18. The fathers of both infants are veterans of warfare in the Pacific. Dr. Coultrap is on the staff of Mercy and Robinwood Hospitals in Toledo.

1905

Mrs. J. J. Stout (JOSEPHINE CALDWELL), widow of a former Dayton physician, has two sons who have followed in their father's professional footsteps—Dr. Alfred E. Stout and Dr. Claire E. Stout. She also has a daughter, Katharine, now Mrs. James M. Snyder of Dayton.

1906

It may have been patriotism, sense of duty, or sheer love of teaching—but whatever the motive CATHERINE MARTIN, a Latin and English instructor in the high school at Jackson since 1908, returned to the classroom last year after a period of retirement of less than a year.

1908

WILLIAM W. CONNETT, ex, Athens greenhouse owner and manager, was attacked one day late in December by a gray fox which is believed to have been rabid. Mr. Connett was at the rear of the Sunnysbank Greenhouse in a residential area of the city when the animal attacked him from behind, sinking its teeth in the fleshy part of his left hand. The victim managed to get the fox by the throat but was unable to shake the grip of the animal on his hand. It was some 15 minutes before his calls for help brought assistance from a neighbor, Carl Nessley, assistant professor of physical welfare at Ohio University, who shot the fox through the head with a revolver. The destruction of the animal's skull by the shot made an examination impracticable, but from all of the circumstances and the fact that other rabid foxes have been killed in the Athens area, Mr. Connett's physician advised immediate Pasteur treatments.

1909

MRS. EDITH PALMER LEROY, A.M. '12, was an early-February visitor in Athens when she returned with her mother, Mrs. James A. Palmer, now 87 years of age, after the mother had spent some time at Mrs. LeRoy's home in East Lansing, Mich. Mrs. LeRoy is the wife of DR. VERNE E. LEROY, M.S. '11, and a brother of HORACE D. "HOKEY" PALMER, '16x, Athens, a World War I veteran and retired Marine Corps flier.

1910

As a news and radio publicist, HAROLD E. CHERRINGTON conducts the H. E. Cherrington Agency in Columbus. "Cherry," as he is popularly known, was for years dramatic and music editor of the Columbus Dispatch.

WALTER O. ALLEN has written from Atlanta, Ga., where, as he reports, he is spending his "evening" in the sunny Southland. Mr. Allen retired last year after 34 years of teaching in Des Moines,

Iowa, first as an instructor in West High School, and for 27 years as principal of Washington Irving Junior High School. In Georgia, he avers, there are some wonderful people. "There are also plenty of Democrats. They are as fine to me as if I voted their ticket. Just now we have more than the usual number of governors. The matter is not yet settled, but we are pretty sure the one who is finally declared



W. Rex Snavely
(See Class of 1924 Notes)

winner will not be a Republican." Older Athenians who remember vividly the horrors of the 1907 flood also remember "Si" Allen as one of several men who won Carnegie hero medals for saving nine lives during the 1907 catastrophe. Mr. Allen was the husband of the late GARNET BINGHAM ALLEN, '08, 2-yr., who died in Des Moines April 3, 1937.

1911

ERNEST C. WILKES, A.B. '11, B.S. Ed. '14, has long been a chemist with the State Board of Health and later the State Department of Agriculture in Columbus. He acquired a Master of Science degree from Ohio State University in 1926. Mrs. Wilkes (WINIFRED GRAFTON, '14, 2-yr.) was an Ohio University classmate.

1912

Members of the Class of 1912 residing in Athens want the attention of their classmates called to the fact that thought is already being given to plans for the 35th annual reunion of the group to be held at the time of the June commencement this year. The Athenians are WILLIAM R. CABLE, HOWARD L. DUNLAP, BESSIE GORSLENE, M. D. HUGHES, and FRED S. WHEATON.

1913

GILBERT R. MICKLETHWAITE, prominent Portsmouth physician and former ninth district counselor of the Ohio State Medical Association, and Mrs. Micklethwaite, have announced the marriage of a daughter during the Christmas holidays. "Si" will be remembered by his campus

contemporaries as a giant tackle on the varsity football team.

1914

LAURA HELEN LEECH, B.S. Ed. '17, former Ohio University critic teacher (Latin) in Athens High School, is a resident of Gillette, N. J., and a teacher in the South Orange High School. She held a fellowship at Columbia University in the early '30s and acquired her master's degree from the big New York University. Miss Leech is a sister of ALICE LEECH DABRITZ, '16, who with her husband, REV. EDWARD N. DABRITZ, '22, lives in Roseville, Calif. Another brother-in-law, REV. LESLIE O. DABRITZ, '23, is a Methodist minister in Willows, Calif.

1915

Dinner conversation with the D. R. Ervins of East Bank, W. Va., could easily be a matter of "shop talk." Mr. Ervin is principal and Mrs. Ervin (ETHEL RUTLEDGE) instructor of social studies in East Bank High School. The Ervins have four children: John, assistant instructor in economics at Ohio State University; Martha, librarian in Massillon High School; Mary, a former home economics teacher, now wife of an industrial arts instructor in Newport News, Va.; and Joseph, first flutist in the 724th AAF Band at Mather Field, Calif.

1916

RALPH M. HENRY, who lives in Upper Darby, Pa., a Philadelphia suburb, is a sales service supervisor for the Philadelphia Citrus Commission of Lakeland, Fla. Mr. Henry is a brother of Mrs. Patrick Lochary (CLARA HENRY, '19, 2-yr.), Pomeroy.

A. E. "DINK" MILLER, ex, is sales manager in Chicago for The Universal Potteries, Inc. of Cambridge, Ohio. His headquarters are in Chicago's huge Merchandise Mart, claimed to be the largest building in the world.

1917

Mrs. Ernest C. White (THERESA CARPENTERS), for many years a teacher in Stonewall Jackson High School, Charleston, W. Va., is now in Richland, Wash., where she is teaching junior and senior literature in Columbia High School. Also in Richland are Mrs. White's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Conley, Jr. (ALICE TOWNSEND, '44). Before her marriage last June, Mrs. Conley taught in the high school at Dunbar, W. Va.

Associated with the Grasselli Chemical Company, now a part of the vast E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co. industrial domain, since the year of his graduation, GEORGE L. CHAPMAN, is works manager of the Grasselli plant in Tacoma, Wash. His son, 26 years of age, is a student in the University of Washington Law School, while a daughter, 21, is a chemistry major in the University of Washington. The Tacoman reports that in her chemistry laboratory his daughter has been using a book written by PROF. J. R. MORTON, '05, M.S. '12, of the Ohio University faculty.

HARLAND W. "IKE" HOISINGTON, an investment counselor, has announced the opening of an office of his own in Prince-

ton, N. J. For the past several years he has been vice president of a New York firm of investment counselors, Cole, Hoisington & Co., Inc. Counselor Hoisington has had considerable experience in the fields of banking and investing. He is a former branch office manager for the Guaranty Company of New York in Newark, N. J., and Pittsburgh, Pa. Before becoming associated with Cole, Hoisington & Co. he was assistant vice president of the well-known Lazard Freres & Co., Inc., in New York City. Mr. Hoisington is the husband of the former HELEN WENZELL, '16, 2-yr.; a brother of the late ELLIS B. HOISINGTON, '20, 2-yr.; and an uncle of ROBERT C. ELLIS, '41, instructor in agriculture at Ohio University.

1918

After 20 years of service with the Ohio Fuel and Gas Co., Noah P. Haskins, Middleport, husband of the former BLANCHE MATTHEWS, has resigned his position and as soon as weather permits will start work on a newly-purchased farm, "The Island View Farm," reportedly one of the best in neighboring Gallia County.

1919

MARK C. HENDRICKSON was installed as president of the Columbus Real Estate Board at a dinner meeting of the organization held at the Fort Hayes Hotel in Columbus on January 31. The Columbus man has offices at 42 East Gay St.

1920

FRANCES BALL is teaching in the State School for Deaf and Blind at Tucson, Ariz. Miss Ball was ill for several years and spent some time in California and Arizona in the recovery of her health. She is a former teacher in the University of Arizona, and in 1928 taught mechanical therapeutics in Mercywood Sanatorium, Ann Arbor, Mich.

1921

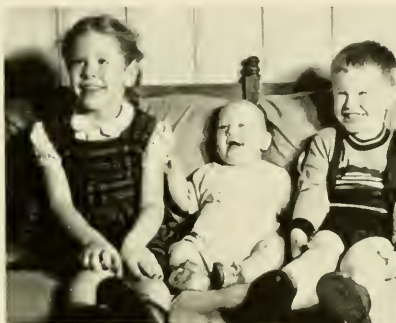
No, no, it couldn't be the Alumni Secretary. A look at the figures in his bank account (if any) is proof to the contrary, despite the declaration of a two-column headline in the January 22 issue of the *New York Times* which reads: "Legacy of \$2,500,000, Record Gift, Announced by Zoological Society—Fund Left by Late CLARK WILLIAMS Will Aid in Conservation Work. . . ." The item was clipped from the *New York paper* by Dean of Men Maurel Hunkins, a recent Gothamite.

Edward J. Resener, 82-year-old father of Mrs. Rufus C. Hopkins (MARY RESENER), Athens, died last month at the Resener home in Gallipolis following a stroke. Mr. Resener was an officer and director of two banking institutions in his home city.

1922

A letter recently received by MRS. CORA PAUL FRAME, 2-yr., Athens, from her close friend and former fellow townsman of Chillicothe, ALMA SCHOCKE, '23x, yields some interesting information about the latter. Miss Schocke, who entered the University of California at Berkeley after three years at Ohio University, holds

both a bachelor's and a master's degree from the California school and is now a member of the faculty of Sacramento Junior College. The master's work was done in the field of economics, with her thesis on Chinese Industrial Cooperatives. The Sacramento teacher described a two weeks' vacation in the Sierras near Lake Tahoe and a visit to Virginia City, Nev., an old, abandoned mining town of the Mother Lode Country which is now being restored for the benefit of tourists. "The famous old Crystal Bar," she reports, "has degenerated to malted milks and sodas." Mrs. Frame, widow of the late A. R. "Doc" FRAME, '20x, is the mother of JANE LOU FRAME, an Ohio University



Barbara, Cameron, and Robert Hartford

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senior, and a sister of VIRGANIA PAUL, '39, Chillicothe.

1923

Fires are not the only hazards incident to life in hotels. W. EARL BECKLEY had the misfortune recently to suffer the loss, through theft, of two diamond rings from his room at the Deshler-Wallick Hotel in Columbus. The rings had a value of almost \$1,500. Mr. Beckley is the Ohio representative for A. Stein & Co., Chicago, manufacturers of men's and women's wear.

1924

Announcement has been made of the marriage, December 28, of Elizabeth Anne Swaim, daughter of Mrs. Donald L. Swaim (PEARL PRICE), Lakewood, to William J. Mahon, Springfield. The bride's father, DONALD L. SWAIM, '22x, is deceased.

Upon the recent completion of his work of opening and establishing a branch sales office in Chicago for Diebold, Inc., manufacturers of bank vaults, safes, locks, etc., W. REX SNAVELY (see picture) was named mid-west bank district manager in the bank division of his company. Rex joined Diebold as a salesman for the Canton branch in 1925. Since then he has served as a dealer supervisor, bank vault sales engineer, branch manager, and district manager. His son, William R., Jr., is with the 311th Paratroop Infantry in Japan.

1925

Athens' Sheltering Arms Hospital has been purchased by a group headed by

DR. THERON H. "PINKEY" MORGAN, local physician and surgeon. The change of ownership became effective on January 1. Dr. Morgan attended Ohio Wesleyan University for one year before coming to Ohio U. He received his professional degree at the George Washington University Medical School in Washington, D. C., and spent four years at Henry Ford Hospital, Detroit, in an internship and surgical research. He is a fellow of the American College of Surgeons. His wife, the former MARY VIRGINIA CROW, '22, died in 1939.

DR. PAUL BAIRD is chief medical officer in the Baltimore (Md.) regional office of the U. S. Veterans Administration.

1926

In writing to the Alumni Office recently for the names of Ohioans in or near Bainbridge who could help him get some data of a genealogical nature, W. TONG WEST of Tongs, Ky., said with characteristic humor, "For many years I have been digging into the Tong family history. They left England because they didn't conform. They left other places, perhaps, for less noble reasons, but anyway I am interested." Mr. West is a partner in the Shepherd & West Supply Co. of nearby Greenup, Ky. For three years, 1930-1933, he was associated, in Montevideo, Uruguay, South America, with Coates-Hermans, distributors of electrical goods and appliances. More recently he was superintendent of the Greenup County schools in Kentucky. While in South America he married Miss Doris Zimmerman of Portland, Ore. The West's have two children, Daniel and David.

MRS. JANICE BATTIN BIXLER, widow of the late EDWARD G. "NED" BIXLER, '27x, of Zanesville, has been appointed head resident of Boyd Hall at Ohio University, effective Feb. 1. Mrs. Bixler succeeds BLANCHE LONG, '14, 2-yr., acting head resident since September, 1945, who has returned to a teaching position in the Youngstown schools.

1927

ALVERNA KOCH is head of the commercial department of the American High School in Lima, Peru, South America. Miss Koch held a similar position in the Crandon Institute in Montevideo, Uruguay, for two years, 1939-1941. In the latter year she returned to the States and taught for three years in Lancaster. She returned to South America last year.

1929

MRS. GRACE LYONS is an instructor in Ross High School, Fremont, and has been responsible for directing a large number of students, including her daughter, to the campus of her alma mater. The daughter, JEANNE, a member of the Class of 1941, is now command librarian at the headquarters of the USAFE at Weisbaden, Germany. Under her supervision are 75 libraries and 15 graduate librarians. After completing her work at Ohio University, Miss Lyons earned a degree in library science at Simmons College, Boston.

1930

Along with a fine medical practice, DR. JAMES E. PATTERSON is establishing a fine family over in Buffalo, N. Y. He and Mrs. Patterson are now the parents of four children, two girls and two boys, whose ages are 9, 6, 3, and 1. Dr. Patterson, son of John R. Patterson, former Athens school superintendent, was awarded a medical degree, with honors, by the Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons in 1936.

1931

EULALIA TAGGART is instructor in business subjects in South High School, Detroit, Mich.

WAYNE T. MATTHEWS, former superintendent of public schools at Chauncey and



Herbert J. Finsterwald
(See "Deaths")

Croton and for several years principal of the East Side School in Athens, is now head of the public schools of Dola in Hardin County.

1932

ELMER N. C. RAPP is assistant chief field deputy for the U. S. Bureau of Internal Revenue in the 23rd Pennsylvania District (Pittsburgh).

DR. JAMES F. CORWIN, A.M. '34, assistant professor of chemistry at Antioch College, has received a grant from the Research Corporation, New York, to enable him to carry on a research program in analytical chemistry concerned with the use of organic reagents in inorganic analysis. Dr. Corwin held a graduate fellowship in chemistry at Ohio State University and received his Ph.D. degree from that school in 1944.

Numerous blood transfusions to combat an illness which was difficult of diagnosis failed to save the life of Jimmie Phillips, one-and-a-half-year-old son of GOMER W. PHILLIPS, and Mrs. Phillips, who died at Children's Hospital, Cincinnati, on December 29. Besides his parents the child left a sister, Evelyn Ann. Mr. Phillips is

owner of the Sigler and Lanier, a men's clothing store in Gallipolis.

A case of "confused identity" was cleared up recently with a report from Mrs. John J. Webster (MARION WOLFE). "Please understand," she wrote, "I have not remarried, nor changed my present husband. We have merely legally changed our name. It was formerly Mrs. Josef K. Goldweber. It is now legally Mrs. John J. Webster, 77 West 85th Street, New York City 24, N. Y. My husband is a physician in New York City specializing in internal medicine and psychosomatic diseases. We have a two-and-a-half-year-old son, William Webster."

1933

LOUISE DAVIS is teaching part-time in Watkins Institute, Nashville, Tenn., and operating a private craft shop at 1714 Villa Place in the Southern city. Miss Davis was a Red Cross recreation worker during the war and before entering that service had been student secretary of the Boston, Mass., Y.W.C.A. In 1935 she was general secretary of the student Y.W.C.A. at Iowa State College in Ames, Iowa.

1934

ROBERT F. HILBERT severed his connection with the Firestone Tire & Rubber Co. in 1943 and entered into partnership with his father in the operation of the Hilbert Transfer Co. in his home town of Piqua. Bob, well known in his campus days as a varsity football end, was with Firestone for nine years, at one time in Liberia, West Africa. Other assignments took him to Detroit, Indianapolis, and Chicago.

1935

PAUL W. SHEARER is an engineer, in Nelsonville, for the Columbus & Southern Ohio Electric Co.

Several Ohio University graduates have been awarded degrees for graduate work at Ohio State University in recent months. On December 19, at the close of the autumn quarter, JAMES A. CHILCOTE received a Master of Arts degree, and OSCAR H. IBELE, JR., '41, a Doctor of Philosophy degree. Master Chilcote was a member of the high school faculty in Logan before entering naval service. Doctor Ibele engaged in graduate work at the University of Wisconsin before going to Ohio State to teach part-time in the political science department. In exercises marking the conclusion of the winter quarter on March 14 the degree of Doctor of Philosophy was awarded JOHN E. EDWARDS, '30, A.M. '32, assistant professor of physics at Ohio University. Others to receive degrees in the March ceremonies were: STANLEY A. FRANCIS, '40, Doctor of Philosophy; and JOHN DUFFY, JR., '40, Master of Science. The degree of Doctor of Dental Surgery was conferred upon ORVILLE E. RUSSELL, '39, and GENE F. SHRUM, '39, while C. ALTON DAY, '34, became a Doctor of Medicine.

1936

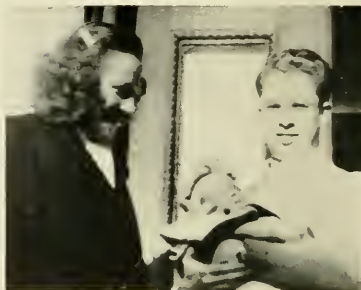
One of Ohio University's gridiron "greats," ROBERT A. SNYDER, has been named coach of the Los Angeles Rams of the National Football League. Backfield

mentor of the Rams for the past two years, Snyder succeeds Adam Walsh in the top coaching spot. Bob went into pro football in the year of his graduation, and aside from a year as backfield coach at Notre Dame in 1942, he has been in the National League as a player and coach since that time. He played for Cleveland and the Chicago Bears, gaining an enviable reputation as a T-former quarterback and as a place-kicker.

BERNICE ADRIAN, a registered occupational therapist, has joined the occupational therapy staff at Oliver General Hospital, Augusta, Ga. She previously served at Wakeman General Hospital, Camp Atterbury, Ind.

1937

A former Marine Corps major, GEORGE RIDGEWAY is now teaching mathematics and chemistry in the high school at Covina, Calif.



Dr. and Mrs. Burton Mayes and Son
(See "Births")

THOMAS R. HAYES is a sales engineer in the engineering products sales division of RCA-Victor in Chicago. He is the father of a child, Thomas R., Jr., born in June, 1946.

1938

WILLIAM JURKOVIC, director of athletics in the Wyoming (Cincinnati) public schools before service in World War II, has just been named head football and baseball coach at Wyoming High School. Bill married KATHRYN SHERRARD, '42x, of Athens in November, 1939.

THOMAS S. REID, a former field director for the American Red Cross, is now an educational counselor at Cleveland College, one of the units of Western Reserve University.

1939

ALBERT G. RESCH, JR., A.M. '40, a former Marine Corps officer, is teaching history and government in the high school at Canfield. He and Mrs. Resch (MARY LOU McLANE, '43x) and their little daughter, Lucinda ("Cindy"), live in the neighboring community of Poland.

Because it was necessary for Dr. J. Burton Mayes to make an early departure from the New York City alumni meeting on December 29, the Alumni Secretary did not learn from the Brooklyn physician that a son had been born just two days previously. (Maybe Burton had to get

back home to mix the formula or take a turn at walking the floor. How about it, Doc?) Present also at the alumni get-together was the young physician's father, Dr. H. W. MAYES, '08, a prominent Brooklyn obstetrician and gynecologist. When the picture on page 14 was taken the new arrival, John Burton, Jr., was but 16 days old. He is shown with his father and his mother, the former ELSIE JANE KNAPP, '41.

Published in the U. S. by Harper & Bros., CAROL SEEGAR KENDALL's book-



Mrs. Paul M. Kendall
(See Class of 1939 Notes)

length mystery novel, "The Black Seven," has just been bought by John Lane, The Bodley Head Press of London. The English publication date has not yet been announced. John Lane is said to have the same high reputation as a publisher in England as Harper & Bros. in America. Mrs. Kendall (see picture), wife of Dr. Paul M. Kendall, associate professor of English and director of Freshman English at Ohio University, is working on another mystery novel, and has written a number of children's stories.

1940

Perusers of the catalog of the Florida State College for Women at Tallahassee will find listed in it the name of FLORINE MARLATT as an instructor in public school music.

HANNAH SNYDER is a dietitian on the staff of the Cleveland Clinic Hospital.

IRVIN L. WHITE, JR., is a pilot and first officer for Pan American World Airways, flying out of LaGuardia Field, N. Y. During the war he was a captain in the Army Air Corps assigned to instruct army pilots in the routes to Africa, Palestine, Arabia, and the Dead Sea. He is married and has two children, Judith, 3, and James, less than a year old.

1941

Now in the closing weeks of the season as a member of the Cleveland Rebels, professional basketball team, FRANK C.

BAUMHOLTZ is looking forward to the spring ahead and his bid for the center field berth on the Cincinnati Reds baseball team. When the Reds open training camp activities at Tampa, Fla., in March, Frankie is expected to be a leading contender for the key spot in the outer garden. With a minor league team at Columbia, S. C., last year, he hit .343, drove in 81 runs, and slammed out 2 homers. Johnny Neen, Cincinnati's new manager, described Baumholtz as "a tremendous outfielder, a fine aggressive base runner, and a good hitter."

FRANK W. SHACKLETON, who was last reported to *Alumnus* readers as being assistant director of public relations at the Cleveland plant of the Aluminum Company of America, has been moved to Davenport, Iowa, where he will be in charge of the public relations program in connection with a huge 30 million dollar aluminum sheet mill now being constructed outside of Davenport on the banks of the Mississippi River. He will reside in nearby Bettendorf. "Right now," he reports, "the 'Davenport Works' consists of little more than 400 chewed-up acres of land, spotted with a few foundation posts. The plant may go into partial operation next September, and be completed by the spring of 1948." Frank's marriage to a Cleveland young lady was announced in last October's *Alumnus*.

C. STUART WHITCOMB is a control chemist at the Buffalo, N. Y., plant of the National Aniline Division of the Allied Chemical & Dye Corp.

1942

DEAN E. BAESL, who became associated with the Aluminum Company of America after military service as a Marine Corps officer, is now on assignment to Alcoa's Dayton sales office where he is handling certain types of administrative work. He reports that he has met a large number of Ohioans since going to Dayton and that he is willing to help in the work of reactivating the Dayton alumni chapter.

CAPT. CHESTER H. HUMMELL, JR., who served a year in the Pacific Theater with the Army Air Corps, is now on assignment to Borinquen Field, Puerto Rico, where he is stationed in officers' quarters with his wife and son.

LT. (J.G.) FREDERICK KITTLE, a medical officer in the U. S. Veterans Administration Hospital (Navy) at Los Angeles, Calif., accompanied a patient to Chicago at Christmas time, but was prevented from flying on to his home in Athens by bad weather.

RITTER COLLETT, who joined the sports staff of the *Dayton Journal* just a year ago following a period of Army service, and who has been acting head of the department for the last 8 months, has been named sports editor of the paper. Besides Ritter, there are four other writers on the sports staff, one of them being RANDALL GUTHRIE, '43.

1943

A former personnel supervisor of WAVE barracks in Norfolk, Va., and at Banbridge Naval Hospital, MARJORIE COOKE is now teaching in the high school at Bedford. Her assistant principal is

JOHN E. BROWN, '37, an ex-Navy communications officer aboard a tanker. Mr. and Mrs. Brown (BITTY JANE OTSTOT '39), have a five-year-old daughter, Barbara.

MARJORIE J. WIMER, former teacher in Rawson, is taking the current year from classroom activities and is spending the winter in West Palm Beach, Fla., where she is a telephone operator at the Dixie Court Hotel.

Presumably in Japan, SHIGEHARU TAKAHASHI gives as his address "NRS, GHQ, SCAP, A.P.O. 500, c/o P.M., San Francisco, Calif." "Shig" is an economist at



Gerald H. Bartsess
(See Class of 1945 Notes)

the general headquarters of some Army unit, but the NRS—SCAP is beyond the ken of the editor. Two years ago he was an instructor in languages at the Civil Affairs Staging Area in Monterey, Calif. Last fall he was at the regional headquarters of the military government in Hokkaido, Japan.

MARY FOHL, a physical education instructor in Harbor High School, Fairport Harbor, writes: "Did you know? MILDRED REINDEL, '44, married Leslie E. Starke in June, 1945. Now has a son, Edmund Lee. Resides in Santa Ana, Calif."

1944

Away off in Camp Ascom, Korea, WARREN L. MORGAN has recently discovered a copy of the Ohio University catalog for 1946-1947 and he is putting it to use with enthusiasm. Warren is a lecturer in the Information and Education section of the headquarters of the Korean Base Command. This is the same type of work he was doing in the States before going overseas. He reports that the education section is composed of civilian teachers who have started Ascom University. "I give the latest news of the United Press over the P. A. system during the noon hours," he writes, "distribute Pacific Stars and Stripes throughout the KBC, submit stories and photographs to the Korea Graphic and send hometown releases on personnel to the States. Korean people are very poor and continually beg for gum, matches, gloves, or shoes. . . . they like our ice cream. . . . are very independent and proud."

MRS. NORMA BOILES CURTIS, widow of GOLD STAR MAN GRANT CURTIS, '45x, who was killed in action over Germany, Sept. 28, 1944, is living in Boston where she is engaged in social work at the Psychiatric Clinic of the Massachusetts General Hospital.

1945

RUTH COFFMAN, A.M., '46, an assistant in the speech department at Ohio University during her graduate year, is now an instructor in the department of speech and director of the speech clinic at the University of Alabama.

A graduate of the Kirksville (Mo.) College of Osteopathy and Surgery, DR. JOSEPH J. MARLINE, ex, has joined two other physicians in establishing offices for a general practice of their profession in Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada. Dr. Marline states that Regina is a friendly city, capital of the Province of Saskatchewan, and has a population of approximately 60,000. Prices there are most reasonable: A full meal, 45¢; a pair of shoes, \$4.00; butter, 40¢ a pound; bread, 7¢, etc.

MRS. DOROTHY HELLMAN STUBBART is a part-time secretary to Dr. A. B. Sias, director of teacher training at Ohio University. Much of her remaining time is given to a husband, SHAFFER F. "JACK" STUBBART, a student-veteran in the university.

GERALD BARTMESS, ex (see picture), staff photographer for the *Marietta Times*, was recognized recently by his paper with a two-column picture of himself in action and a story about his picture-taking activities that cover 24 column inches of space. Jerry's picture coverage is not confined to Marietta alone, for he dashes by the fastest possible means to any spot in his section of the state where there is the making of a good news picture. During Army training as a combat photographer he was for two months assigned to the *New York Times* staff where he worked with its topflight camera journalists. Photographer Bartmess took pictures on New Guinea and Leyte and later was attached to General MacArthur's headquarters in Manila. In the Philippines he covered General Wainwright's return to Manila and the arrival of the Japanese envoys for preliminary peace negotiations. A newcomer, Barry Michael, arrived in the Bartmess home late in November.

The second convocation of the current semester at Ohio University was featured by a piano recital by MARJORIE McCLEURE, music major and now a member of the teaching staff of the Laurel School for Girls in Shaker Heights. She was welcomed back by one of the largest convocation audiences of the entire year. In addition to her work in Ohio University's School of Music, Miss McCleure has held a scholarship for summer work at Chautauqua, N. Y., under Ernest Hutchinson, head of the Juilliard School of Music, and has studied under Beryl Rubenstein of the Cleveland Institute of Music.

ANNE DENTON is supervising music in the Utica-Washington High School, Utica, Ohio.

Mrs. William J. Walters (MARY MARGARET MCGILL) is assisting in ear training and sight singing classes in the Music

Department at Ohio University while her husband is a student.

1946

RUTH LAWSON is engaged in continuity writing at Radio Station WJIM in Lansing, Mich.

ARLINE KOHN is a junior statistician with the Independent News Co. in the Bronx, New York City, and is attending evening sessions of the College of the City of New York.

IRWIN S. SELIN is enrolled in the School of Architecture at Columbia University this year.

MARILYN EMSLEY has a position in the advertising production department of the Penton Publishing Co. in Cleveland.



Irwin R. Blacker
(See Class of 1947 Notes)

BEVLA JEAN KUCHENBACKER is a social worker and interviewer in the University Hospitals of Cleveland.

CARL J. PRESCHER, an instructor in Marietta High School, is doubtless happy over the outcome of the recent Southeastern Ohio basketball tournament which the Marietta Pioneers won after several hotly contested games. Mr. Prescher, who majored in botany, wrote his master's thesis on "Liverworts of Athens Township."

SYLVIA BARTO is a kindergarten teacher in the elementary school at Kohala, Hawaii.

CORINNE PARKER is secretary to Dr. E. A. Hansen in Ohio University's Bureau of Appointments. Miss Parker is a sister of WARREN "ACE" PARKER, '40x, supervisor of the university's newly-established mailing room.

DORIS MORGAN reports her occupational activity as "Classification Analyst, Headquarters, Air Material Command, AAF, Wright Field, Dayton."

GWENDOLYN ABEL is a case worker at the Ohio Soldiers and Sailors Orphans Home in Xenia.

CHARLOTTE ADAMS is teaching and serving as dean of women at Lambuth College, Jackson, Tenn.

BARBARA RAMSEY is supervising music in five of the public schools—Porter, Parrish, Wallace, Wilson, and Franklin—in Hammond, Indiana.

GLORIA ANN VISCONTE is secretary for the Committee on Endowment at Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

CORINNE VAN DAME is associated with Motion Picture Productions, Inc., in Cleveland, as script girl.

1947

Approximately 100 persons received degrees as members of the January session of the Class of 1947. Several of these are going to pursue graduate work. Among them are GEORGE H. HILLMAN, who will enter the Graduate School of Business at Columbia University; Arthur Kay, who will also attend Columbia; and the following who will continue on at Ohio University, ALAN A. BARNHILL, DAVID W. KUHN, MARIUS P. GAROFALO, DAVID PAUL WALKER, and ROBERT W. PRICE.

Four feminine members of the class will engage in work as medical technicians: DORIS BATES, in the Atlantic City (N. J.) Hospital; JULIA KORSZNICK at McKittrick Hospital, Kenton; and BEA JOHNSON and CLEO HINDMAN at Mt. Carmel Hospital, Columbus.

One more evidence that student-veterans at Ohio University are capitalizing on their opportunities is the fact that IRWIN R. BLACKER (see picture) of Cleveland Heights has just graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Journalism degree after spending only 17 months on the campus—and with a scholastic average of 3.7, a high B plus. According to MARY ANTORIETTO, '20, A.M. '44, university recorder and assistant registrar, "this is the shortest length of residence on the campus in which a student with no previous university credit has ever earned a degree." Making possible the record was the granting by the university of 16 hours of credit for military service and 24 hours for high marks in the U. S. Armed Forces Institute general education development test. Blacker obtained 14 additional hours by taking special examinations for advanced standing in English, history, and dramatic art. The 27-year-old veteran, who was administrative officer at headquarters of the Peninsular Base Section in Italy, is married and is the father of a three-year-old daughter. The wife, like the husband, was enrolled as a student, while the child was enrolled in the University Nursery School. The new record holder expects to take graduate work at Western Reserve University to become an English teacher and writer.

DORIS WILLIAMS, living at Arlington, Va., is a clerk in the International Conference Division of the U. S. State Department in Washington.

Three members of the class are associated with the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. in Akron. CHARLES D. BURDETTE is in the Export Advertising Dept., while CHARLES A. BODAR is in sales training and JACK C. GARNER in the office training squadron.

John Burton, Jr. (see picture on page 14) to Dr. J. BURTON MAYES, '39, and Mrs. Mayes (ELSIE JANI KNAPP, '41), 567 Bay Ridge Parkway, Brooklyn 9, N. Y., Dec. 27, 1946. Dr. Mayes is engaged in private practice as a physician and is also on the staff of Brooklyn's Methodist Hospital. Grandfather and aunts: Dr. HARRY W. MAYES, '08, HILEN MAYES, '41, and Mrs. RUTH MAYES FINZER, '41, all of Brooklyn.

The husky young fellow pictured below is Billy Finzer, the year-old son of CAPT. WILLIAM F. FINZER, '40, and Mrs. Finzer



William Finzer

(RUTH MAYES, '41). Captain Finzer, an Army medic, is currently on duty with the 361st Station Hospital in Tokyo, Japan. Mrs. Finzer and the baby are with her parents, Dr. HARRY W. MAYES, '08, and Mrs. Mayes, in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dennis James to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hoelzer (MARJORIE CHRISTMAN, '41x), 2026 W. 89 St., Cleveland 2, Dec. 8, 1946. Mr. Hoelzer is an engineer for Technical Developments.

Leslie Michael to Dr. and Mrs. Vincent F. Guiliani (VIRGINIA SCHIAPPONE, '45), 1323 70th St., Brooklyn, N. Y., June 25, 1946. The good news was received last summer, but through an inadvertence failed to get into *The Ohio Alumnus*. The editor's apologies, Master Leslie.

Barbara Ann to WILLIAM E. BACON, '43, and Mrs. Bacon (CATRYN MELCHER, '42), 433 S. Linden, Alliance, Nov. 26, 1946. Mr. Bacon is associated with the John Hancock Life Insurance Co.

Jay Lewis to ROBERT L. WERTMAN, '41, and Mrs. Wertman, 23982 Frank St., North Olmsted, Jan. 10, 1947. Mr. Wertman is an advertising copywriter for the Staake & Schoonmaker advertising agency.

William Thomas to WILLIAM DAVIS, '34x, and Mrs. Davis (MARY WATTS ALLEN, '44), R.F.D., Nelsonville, Jan. 4, 1947. The father is engaged in farming.

Births

Linda Jean to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McDonald, Jr. (JANET CHARTERS, '41), 11 S. Marion St., Warren, Pa., Jan. 16, 1947. The mother is a former Army hospital dietitian. The father, now a partner in the Zero Fuel Service Co., was an overseas officer in the Medical Administrative Corps.

Howard William, III, to HOWARD W. MEAD, II, '40, and Mrs. Mead (DOROTHY SPAHMAN, '43x), 211 Third Ave., Laurel Beach, Milford, Conn., Dec. 26, 1946. Associated with the General Electric Co., the father is anticipating an early assignment that will make him sales representative of the company for its deep freeze unit in Ohio and Pennsylvania. The paternal grandmother is active in Ohio University mothers' club work in the Cleveland area.

Daniel Harris to HARRIS FARMER, '37, and Mrs. Farmer (MARTHA LOWRY, '37), 537 3 1/4 E. 99th St., Inglewood, Calif., Dec. 20, 1946. Until recently with General Electric in Bridgeport, Conn., Mr. Farmer has been transferred by his company to the Los Angeles office. Uncle and aunts: BERNARD L. FARMER, '29, and Mrs. Farmer (HAZEL FLETCHER, '27), Fairport Harbor; and Mrs. C. A. Farmer (VARELIA HOLLETT, '24), Cleveland.

Daniel Lee to DAVID R. WELLER, '44, and Mrs. Weller (PHILIPPA WALSH, '43), 103 Nimitz Dr., Dayton 3, Jan. 4, 1947. Daniel Lee has a cousin, Craig Holland Gatter, whose arrival was announced in the December *Alumnus*.

Cathleen Ann to HOWARD C. BOEHM, '42, and Mrs. Boehm, 10107 Parkview Ave., Garfield Heights, Nov. 17, 1946. Mr. Boehm is a draftsman for the Cleveland architectural firm of Walker & Weeks.

Jane Carol to Capt. and Mrs. Richard N. Rollason (ESTELLE JOHNSON, '33), 809 S. Ft. Thomas Ave., Ft. Thomas, Ky., Oct. 25, 1946. Captain Rollason is an assistant professor of military science and tactics in the University of Cincinnati ROTC.

Ruth Elizabeth to JOHN K. REED, '42, and Mrs. Reed (MARY HELDMAN, '43), Veterans Housing Project, Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa, Dec. 14, 1946. Mr. Reed is pursuing graduate work in entomology at Iowa State College.

David Harold to MAX D. BROWN, '39, and Mrs. Brown, Gallipolis, Nov. 6, 1946. Mr. Brown is the rent representative of the Office of Temporary Controls in five counties of Ohio and West Virginia. HAROLD BROWN, '33, Gallipolis, is an uncle of the infant.

Beverly Lynn to THEODORE C. "TED" ALFRED, JR., '42x, and Mrs. Alfred (BARBARA BRENNER, '41), 14036 Tuckahoe Ave., Cleveland 11, Oct. 20, 1946. Mr. Alfred is manager of the Equipment Development Corporation.

Gary Taylor to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Nack (DOROTHY TAYLOR, '45), 38 Glen-

wood Ave., Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 10, 1946. Mr. Nack is a chemist. The mother was a student assistant in the office of the dean of the College of Education during her undergraduate days.

Winsome is the word for Jane Carolyn (see picture), daughter of Dr. and Mrs. B. Franklin Wills (HILEN HOOK, '28, B.S., '29, B.S.Ed.), 324 N. Columbus St., Union City, Ind. The picture was taken at the age of two years, although Janey will be three in May. The father, who was a lieutenant colonel in the Army



Jane Wills

Medical Corps in China and India, has now opened an office for private practice in Union City. Mrs. Wills is a former member of the Ohio University faculty in the School of Music.

Louis Albert, Jr., to LOUIS A. ANDREWS, '46, and Mrs. Andrews (BETTY ANN FRITZSCH, '44x), 2441 Williams Ave., Norwood, Oct. 30, 1946. Mr. Andrews is a teacher and coach in Madeira High School. HILEN ANDREWS, '43, a teacher in Lore City, is an aunt of the new baby.

Timothy Grant to PAUL G. ABRAMS, and Mrs. Abrahams (LOUISA BRAZITIS, '46), Dec. 27, 1946. Mrs. Abrams and the baby are at the father's parental home in Logan. Mr. Abrams is a student at Ohio University.

James Allen (stillborn) to Dr. EDWARD A. "TED" SPRAGUE, '41, and Mrs. Sprague (JEAN FINSTERWALD, '43x), Fenzel Apts., Athens, Jan. 25, 1947. Dr. Sprague is associated with his father and brother-in-law, Dr. ROBERT E. MAIN, '39, in the practice of medicine. The grandparents are Dr. JOHN R. SPRAGUE, '06x, and Mrs. Sprague, and EDWIN S. FINSTERWALD, '17, and Mrs. Finsterwald (HAZEL BAIRD, '16), all of Athens.

Jane to JOHN E. MILLIKEN, '47, and Mrs. Milliken (PHYLLIS SCARFF, '43), New Carlisle, July 31, 1946. After a period of service in the Army the father returned to complete work for a degree with the January graduating group.

Marriages

DORA FUNARI, '42, Rayland, high school teacher (Tiltonsville), to Staff Sgt. Edwin D. Kennedy, now attending the School of Meteorology at Chanute Field, Ill., Nov. 5, 1946. Mrs. Kennedy will continue her teaching until next June, when she will join her husband at his service post.

KATHRYN "KAY" CARNES, '41, A.M. '45 (see picture), Lima, librarian, Mac-



Lieut. and Mrs. Robert H. Mereness

millan Publishing Co. (New York City), to Lieut. Robert H. Mereness, Lima, specialist, Office of Public Information, U.S. Navy (Washington, D. C.), June 29, 1946. At home: 912 19th St., N.W., Apt. 3, Washington, D. C.

MARGY SEMENOW, '42, Pittsburgh, Pa., registered occupational therapist, V. A. Hospital, to Dr. Abraham Halperin, Miami Beach, Fla., owner, The Traymore Hotel, Dec. 22, 1946. At home: Traymore Hotel, 24th St. and Collins Ave., Miami Beach, Fla. Dr. Halperin holds bachelor's degrees in chemical engineering and law and the legal degree of Doctor of Jurisprudence.

BETTY TURNER, '45, Lancaster, high school teacher (Bryan), to George L. Gebhard, Bryan, owner and operator of several farms in the Bryan area, Dec. 29, 1946. At home: Bryan. Mrs. Gebhard worked in the office of the dean of the College of Education during two of her undergraduate years.

BETTY WILTSE, '42, Troy, N. Y., home economist, The A & P Kitchen (New York City), to KENNETH E. FRITZ, Louisville, Ohio, student-veteran, Ohio University, Apr. 28, 1946. At home: 8 Franklin Ave., Athens.

REBA WOLFE, '35, R.F.D., McArthur, to Rev. Earl W. Snyder, United Brethren minister, early in January, 1947.

EVELYN KIPNIS, '46, Brooklyn, accountant, Kipco Liqueurs, Inc. (New York City), to Arthur M. Lowenthal, Brooklyn, a graduate engineer, Dec. 29, 1946. At home: 40 E. 17th St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

ANN WARE, '44, Frankfort, teacher (Mt. Victory), to John T. Stewart, Greenfield, pharmacy student, Ohio Northern University (Ada), July 14, 1946. At home: Taft Trailer No. 39, Ada.

ROSAMOND FOX, '43, Logan, dietitian, La Vina Sanatorium (an experimental hospital for tubercular war veterans at La Vina, Calif.), to Sterling Anderson, Los Angeles, Calif., a recently released Army officer now associated with the Transcontinental and Western Airlines in Los Angeles, Dec. 28, 1946. At home: La Vina, Calif.

Elizabeth Jane Space, Gardenville, N. Y., to ESTES A. PICKUP, JR., Olean, N. Y., student-veteran, Ohio University, Dec. 28, 1946. At home: 78 E. State St., Athens.

MILDRED BLAIR, '40, Wheelersburg, former teacher but now a student at Ohio State University, to THOMAS J. PETRUS, '36, Newark, former Portsmouth High School coach and now public school superintendent (Ft. Jennings), Dec. 27, 1946. At home: Ft. Jennings.

Florine Cotner, Athens, to ROBERT W. COE, '40, student-veteran, Ohio University, Jan. 24, 1947. At home: 15 1-2 W. Union St., Athens. The groom is a brother of Mrs. A. B. Briggs (VIRGINIA COE, '34), Kent.

RUTH GORSUCH, '19, Pomeroy, former teacher (Portsmouth), to Harold Pickering, Jackson County soil conservation director, Jan. 15, 1947. At home: Jackson.

GEORGIA ALLEN, '45, Athens, teacher, East Side School, to Phon Jeffers, Marion, Jan. 17, 1947. At home: 81 1-2 N. Court St., Athens. Manager of a restaurant near Helena, Mont., for the past two years, Mr. Jeffers has moved to Athens where he will soon engage in business. Mrs. Jeffers is continuing her teaching. Best man: WILLIAM ROBERSON, '39, Athens.

JO LAVON FAIRES, Glouster, Ohio University junior and Alpha Xi Delta chapter president, to William L. Alderman, Glouster, Feb. 2, 1947.

Betty Belle Ravenscraft, Greenfield, to ROBERT D. TERREL, '39, Gore, Dec. 13, 1946. Mr. Terrel is a son of Mrs. KATHRYN HOLT TERREL, '17x, and a brother of RALPH E. TERREL, '39, also of Gore.

PATRICIA DICKEY, '46, Chagrin Falls, graduate assistant in psychology, Ohio University, to WILLIAM J. TRUSCHEL, Pittsburgh, Pa., student Ohio University, June 15, 1946. At home: 48 University Terrace, Athens.

SHIRLEY BROWN, '48x, Lakewood, to ROBERT L. SHAKESPEARE, Lakewood, student-veteran, Ohio University, Dec. 27, 1946. At home: 210 Highland Ave., Athens.

ELOISE HILIARD, '29, 2-yr., Circleville, teacher, to Leland D. Dunkel, Circleville, Dec. 28, 1946.

Pictured are CHARLES O. LINTNER, '45, and Mrs. Lintner (HATTIE LU GRONES, '46), whose marriage was re-



Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Lintner

ported in the November *Alumnus*. The picture has only recently become available to the editor for reproduction. The wedding bells rang for the Lintners on Oct. 5, 1946. Mr. Lintner is a sales representative in Louisville, Ky., of the McBee Company of Athens.

NORMA HOWELL, Cleveland, to HAROLD B. LeCRONE, Columbus, Dec. 21, 1946. Both are seniors in Ohio University, the groom a student-veteran.

CHARLOTTE ANN NELSON, Marietta, Ohio University senior, to FRED S. FURBEE, Marietta, student-veteran, Ohio University, Aug. 20, 1946. At home: 20 W. Carpenter St., Athens.

Saga H. Lindberg, Helsinki, Finland, foreign correspondent, Korpivaara and Halla, Inc., importers and wholesalers of automotive equipment, to EUGENE F. RINTA, '38, Fairport Harbor, late of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Dec. 18, 1946. See story on page 4.

Deaths

JAY CARL FLEGAL

J. CARL FLEGAL, '15, 2-yr. (see picture), assistant manager of sales accounting for the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., died Dec. 26, 1946, at his home in Akron following an illness of nine months. He was 50 years of age.

He had been associated with the Goodyear company for many years, and during World War II was assigned to serve as co-ordinator between Goodyear and the U. S. Navy. In this position he handled papers and documents of top secrecy. He was a Navy yeoman in World War I.

Mr. Flegal leaves a wife; a daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Simpson, Winnetka, Ill.; two grandsons; and three sisters. The sisters are MRS. ALICE FLEGAL PROUT, ex, Bowling Green, wife of President Frank Prout of Bowling Green State University; and Mrs. Dalton Hawn (EDNA FLEGAL, '11) and Mrs. Robert L. Sawyer (MARGARET FLEGAL, '11), both of Ontario, Ala.

MARY MARGARET KELLEY WILLIAMS

Mrs. Arnold V. Williams (MARY MARGARET KELLEY, '35), Athens, died Jan. 19, 1947, at the age of 33. She had been in ill health for some time previously. Mrs. Williams was a sister of Mrs. Robert W. Foster (LOUISE KELLEY, '37), Columbus. Other survivors are her husband, two children, James and Barbara Ann, and her mother.

MARY FLETCHER JONES

Mrs. Charles Jones (MARY FLETCHER, '13, 2-yr.), died Jan. 20, 1947, at her home in Cordova, Ala., as a result of a lung ailment.

Mrs. Jones leaves a husband and three children—a married daughter, and two sons in the armed forces. She was a sister of WILLIAM H. FLETCHER, '06, 2-yr., first vice president of the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland.

HERBERT JESSE FINSTERWALD

HERBERT J. FINSTERWALD, '22 (see picture on page 16), age 50, principal of the Cassingham School in Bexley, Columbus, for the past 20 years, died at his home, Feb. 4, 1947, after suffering a heart attack.

A native of Athens County, he taught in the high school at Ironton before going to Bexley in 1927.

Mr. Finsterwald received a degree in agriculture from Ohio University and owned a farm near Athens which he frequently visited. He was president of the Ohio Belgium Horse Association, state secretary of the Brown Swiss Cattle Association, and was active in the Ohio State Fair Association. He was also president of the Franklin County chapter of the Ohio University Alumni Association at the time of his death.

Among his survivors are his wife, Mrs. FRANCES EVANS FINSTERWALD, '18x, two

daughters, MRS. GRACE SAVAGE, '42, wife of GILBERT T. SAVAGE, '42, Columbus, and VIRGINIA FINSTERWALD, '43, a teacher in the Lancaster schools. He was a brother of DAVID E. FINSTERWALD, '27, a Canal Winchester farmer and stock raiser.

MARGARET SMEDLEY ALLEN

Word was received early in the month of the death, Feb. 2, 1947, of MRS. MARGARET SMEDLEY ALLEN, '19, widow of the late Capt. J. B. Allen, of Athens, at the home of Mrs. Allen's son in Ft. Worth, Texas, where she had lived for several years. Funeral services were held in Athens, with burial in the West Union Street Cemetery.

HELEN HOFFERT GREEN

The death, Dec. 26, 1946, of Mrs. C. H. Green (HELEN HOFFERT, '19, 2-yr.), has been reported by Mrs. Green's



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sister, RUTH HOFFERT, '15, 2-yr., a Toledo teacher. A former teacher, herself, Mrs. Green married a Toledoan in 1924 and was a resident of the Lake Erie city for many years.

MARGARET SPROWL KAUTZ

A recently received report, which failed to give the date of death, tells of the passing of Mrs. William J. Kautz (MARGARET SPROWL, '27, 2-yr.) of near Sandusky.

Mrs. Kautz was a teacher before her marriage in 1937. She leaves her husband and a nine-year-old daughter. Mr. Kautz is engaged in farming.

HAZEL GRITTNER COCHRANE

Mrs. J. A. Cochrane (HAZEL GRITTNER, '28), Oberlin, succumbed June 25, 1946, to a glandular ailment. Her parental home was in Cleveland.

Mrs. Cochrane was married in 1937, and besides her husband, an Oberlin merchant, she leaves two children, Marianne, 10, and John Robert, 8.

Engagements

CARLENE ROSS, '46, Kingston, teacher West School (Lancaster), to LESLIE CLARK, Gary, Ind., Ohio University senior. The wedding is planned for June.

Betty Ritterhoff, Hillsboro, proofreader, Hillsboro Publishing Co., to HAROLD O. POWELL, '42, Wilmington, reporter, Hillsboro News-Herald, and former U. S. Marine Corps correspondent in the Pacific.

DORETHA HAND, '46, Chillicothe, teacher, to Lester Riffle, Chillicothe, a Marine Corps veteran now associated with the Chillicothe Paper Co. Miss Hand is a sister of ESTHER JANE HAND, '38, A.M. '46, Athens, and Mrs. Clifford Hammond (RUTH HAND, '38), Decatur, Ill.

ELIZABETH MORRIS, '45, R.F.D. 4, Athens, high school teacher (Jackson), to EDWIN MCPHERSON, Athens, student-veteran, Ohio University.

BARBARA PETERS, Cleveland Heights, to ROBERT D. SEDWICK, Athens. Both are juniors in Ohio University, the latter a student-veteran.

Dorothy Jean Kimball, Chicago, a senior at Lawrence College (Appleton, Wis.), to ROWAN F. "TUBBY" CRAWFORD, '45x, Milwaukee, Wis., industrial salesman, Chicago office, Armstrong Cork & Seal Co.

MARILYN CUTTS, '45, Lakewood, who holds a secretarial position with the Pittsburgh Steamship Company in Cleveland, to WILLIAM L. HEINZ, '43, Cincinnati, a former Navy officer now associated with his father in the management of the Bowling Green plant of the Nu-Way Feed and Grain Co., Bowling Green. March 8 is the big date.

Rose E. Rudd, Brooklyn, N. Y., to EDWARD J. MARGOLIS, '47, University Hts., a member of the mid-year graduating class at Ohio University. Fiance Margolis is now enrolled as a senior in the Western Reserve University Law School. The marriage will be an event of March 30.

PHYLLIS MIELKE, Cleveland, Ohio University sophomore, to MARVIN D. SHEETS, Crown City, Ohio U. student-veteran.

PATRICIA BOLEN, Athens, to FRANK VAWTER, JR., Cincinnati. Both are Ohio University sophomores. Mr. Vawter attended the University of Cincinnati before entering the Army in 1942. The wedding will be an event of March 30.

BLATRICE GODDARD, '48x, Woodfield, Monroe County court stenographer, to James Holsclaw, Woodfield, high school athletic coach (St. Clairsville).

IRENE RABINOVITZ, '44, Cleveland, former teacher and now medical stenographer with the Veterans Administration, to JACK L. ROSENBERG, Cleveland, veteran-student in dentistry, Ohio State University. Plans call for a June wedding.

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